# ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1870

In the Maryland House of Delegates, yes terday, Mr. Merrick, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means, to which was referred the special message of the Governor of March 15,1870, relating to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, made a report thereon, acccompanied by a bill to authorize the transfer of the stock by the State in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company to the trustees of the bondholders of said company.

The Richmond State Journal is frank and outspoken in its admission as to the present "condition," not to say "situation"-It says:

The States are nothing-no more than counties-and the general government everything. You may not like it, but the war has made it so. State legislatures and governors are of small account, and will "grow small by degrees and beautifully less," in the present and future political calculations of this country.'

To this complexion have we come, at last

An exchange says : - It is remarkable how many men go to Congress poor and soon become rich. A salary of \$5000 a year affords the means of living extravagantly through the sessions, travelling in Europe during recess, and, after a few terms, putting by hundreds of thousands:

"How happy the soldier who lives on his pay, And spends half a crown out of sixpence a

In the House of Representatives, yesterday, a discussion took place in relation to Mr. Kel lev's charges of sales of cadetships by former members from Pennsylvania, during which Mr. Kelley explained that he only referred in his statement on Thursday, to his immediate predecessor, from the Fourth District, Mr. Millward, who sold a cadetship for one thousand dollars, and openly boasted of his action about the streets of Philadelphia.

It is observed that while the white people of this state, display a very commendable spirit of obedience to the laws, and acquiesence in results, and a great desire for "reconstruction," the colored people in many places, especially in Elizabath City county, exhibite "contumacious" state of mind, a refusal to "acquiesce" or "submit," and remain in a decidedly "unre constructed" condition !

Movements are making in various directions by land companies in New York to colonize the Southern States with emigrants from the North and from Europe. Maryland and Virginia find considerable favor, and well directed efforts have been made to colonize North Carolina, whither persons have gone to prepare for a number of emigrants expected this spring.

The Central and Maryland coal companies have consolidated, and will hereafter do business in the name of the Maryland Coal Company. The Cumberland Coat and Iron Company has been merged with the Consolidation. Coal boats may be expected down the C. & O. Canal next week.

Senator Drake's proposition on the Georgia bill to quarter troops upon the citizens of those places, reported tobe in a "disturbed" condition, and to make the people pay for their support, was actualy listened to patiently and discussed in the U. S. Senate No! comment is needed.

The steam tug engaged in capturing some schooners employed as oyster boats, who were taking in cargoes in the Patuxent river, contrary to law, took fire a few days ago, and burned to the water's edge.

In old times, the "country gentlemen" in Congress used to be urging business through, in order to get home to "corn planting."

More "frauds and robberies" are reported in New York, by the newspapers of that city.

The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Gen. Sickles, as Minister to Spain.

Every effort is being made by the Adminis tration to procure the ratification by the Senate, of the St. Domingo treaty.

Wild pigeons are now very numerous in the neighborhood of Cumberland, Md.

## Foreign News.

General Sheridan's late campaign against the Indians, is severely criticised by the London Times.

The merchants of Liverpool protest against the system of all messages sent by cable to America to be first sent to London. The ship Germane, in the West India trade, was totally lost on Goodwin Sands, off the

Kentish coast, Thursday. In the Prince Pierre Bonaparte trial, yes terday, the argument for the prosecution was

concluded.

The Pope's answer to Mr. Daru has been received in Paris, but the contents have not been made known.

The anti-military agitation is extending in the States of South Germany.

Interesting debates in the British House of Commons continue on the bill for the enforcement of the laws in Ireland.

GEORGETOWN, D. C., EXCHANGE .-- At a meeting of the Georgetown Merchants' Exchance held yesterday the following board of officers was elected: President, E. Lyons; vice-presideut, Geo. Waters; treasurer, J. J. Beall; se eretary, Thos. C. Wheeler; directors, A. H. Herr, A. H. Pickrell, J. R. Burrough, A. Ross Ray, J. Davidson, E. D. Hartley; execut ive committee, D. L. Shoemaker, J. G. Waters. A. R. Ray; committee on arbitration, D. L. Shoemaker and J. G. Waters. In consequence of the canal navigation being open, and ings of the board for sales of grain begin Mon- sented the bill yesterday.

Dr. James Higgins, formerly State Chemist of Maryland, died in Baltimore yesterday.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the limes.

The New York correspondent of the Boston Journal describes a new invention for displacing steam by electricity, and says that lathes, planing machines and other mechanical aran engine of twenty-horse power by this invention would require only a space of three The cost per day would be thirty-five cents. On a steamship no coal would be required, and the space now used for coal and machinery could be used for cargo.

Mr. A. T. Stewart, has reduced the rents upon all of his New York city property. The reduction is from ten to thirty per cent. In all cases the reductions were made without the solicitations of the tenants. Much of Mr. Stewart's property is occupied by boarding-

The burning of the Central Pacific Railroad bridge over the American river was undoubtedly the work of design, as the fire was bserved in a number of places at the same time. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. Several hundred workmen are now engaged in erecting a temporary bridge.

The Savannah Republican says that in the low counties of Georgia, on the rice and sea island cotton plantations, there is a deficiency of labor, and much less land in cultivation as compared with last year. Infact, the labor is diminishing in quantity and deteriorating in quality, year after year.

The workmen on the Government improvements at Dos Moines Rapids, Iowa, have struck and driven off the few who remained at their labor. The Sheriff marched against them with a force yesterday, and it is supposed that a serious conflict has taken place.

The Committee on Registration of the Maryland Legislature on Thursday night reported a bill to the House of Delegates in which the word 'white" is stricken out, so that under it colored voters will be allowed to register.

Rev. Mr. Pence, whose mysterious disappeared from West Hampton, N. Y., last December, has apppeared at Wallingford, Connectieut, and is stopping with friends. His wife is

The First Branch of the Baltimore City Council last evening passed an ordinance providing for the endorsement of the bonds of the Maryland Central Railroad, to the extent of

The recent failure in New York of the house of Weil & Rosenberg, a hat jobbing house, has inflicted severe losses upon several of the lar gest but manufacturing firms in that city.

So far as known the defaleations of Bailey, Internal Revenue Collector at New York, amount to \$125,000. The returns of the tax assessments will probably increase the amount. Statistics show that the ratio of annual in crease in suicide all over the world is from 3 to 5 per et., while the ratio of increase of pop

ulation is about : 1.64 per et. a year. The Fernale Auti Slavery Society of Philadelphia formally "disbanded" on Thursday, after having existed for thirty seven years.

A Western editor offers to wager fifty dollars that there will be women in Congress with

three years. Don Antonio Fiores was yesterday officially introduced to the President as Minister from the Republic of Emador at Washington.

There was an explosion at one of Dupont's powder mills at Wilmington, Dal., yesterday, by which one man was killed.

The New York Masons are to erect an asylum for aged Masons and orphans, to cast

Lovejoy's Hotel in New York is to be after ed into stores and offices.

# VIRGINI : NEWS.

The Board of Directors of the Fredericksburg and Gordonsville Railroad Cempany have the Company, to open negotiations with capitalists for the early completion of their road to H. H. Wainright some time since, has been for-feited by his failure to comply with its condi-

the 8th of February last, was found drowned in the river, at Fredericksburg. The deceased was a teacher in Roth's German English School, and was about 26 years of age. He is day for several days past, but sharp at night, supposed to have fallen into the river while If I am not mistaken it is the very kind of under the influence of liquor.

The Potomac Visiting Agricultural Society is holding its meetings at the residences of its members in Stafford county. The next meeting will be held on the third Saturday in April at the residence of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, near Aquia Creek.

A magnificent eagle, measuring 8 feet 3 inches from tip to tip of its wings, was recently killed in Elizabeth city county. A wolf, measuring from point of nose to tip of tail, 6 rost 3 inches, was recently killed in Fayette county, West Virginia.

A fine fat back was run over and killed by the passenger train of the Virginia and Tennessee railroad, Monday night, on Pea Creek Mountain. This is a new "invention" in the sporting line.

Supervisor, Presbrey, of Virginia, has orderthe seizure of a tobacco factory in the sixth (Staunton district,) for an alleged deficiency

amounting to about \$6,000. La Crosso Democrat, has been lecturing in Lynchburg, in this State, to a large audience. Major George W. Miller, a prominent and enterprising citizen of Rockingham, died a few

A herring has been caught in Aquia creek weighing nearly four pounds!

AMUSING INCIDENT .- Yesterday, while the Senate of Virginia, and just after Mr. Treadway's nomination had been made and the President had stated that if any gentleman had "further nominations to make they were now in order," an individual from the lobby, walked up the main aisle and very respectfully adinvitation, as he had a friend whose name he wished to bring before the body for consideration The President, with all the gravity at command, requested the Sergesnt-at-Arms to camove the gentleman from the chamber. The order was obeyed, much merriment having been occasioned, and each Senstor strenuously denying that the offender was of his constituen-

TUR ARMY BILL. -Senator Wilson visited the President on Thursday, and read to him the bill reducing and reorganizing the army, as prepared by the Senator and adopted by the Senate Committee on Military Atlairs. The bill is very different from the Logan bill as it This is left the same. The reduction of the army seven thousand men reduces the expenses about \$7,000,000 a year, as it is estimated that it the expected arrival of grain boats almost im the White House the President informed him mediately, it was decided that the daily meet | that he approved the bill. Senator Wilson pre-

VIRGINIA, wife of Robt. F. Prettyman, esq. | ain. - | We doubt it altogether. |

LETTER FROM RICHMOND,

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette. RICHMOND, March 25. - The Legislature today, elected the following Circuit Judges :-1st Circuit, Geo. Blow, jr., of Norfolk, 21 S. S. Weisger, of Dinwiddie, 3d Asa Dickinsor, of Prince Edward, 4th W. M. rangements are driven by this power. To run Treadway, of Pittsylvania, 5th G. A. Wingfield, of Bedford, and 6th Henry Shackelford, of Culpoper. Further elections were deferred feet long, two feet wide and two feet high. until to morrow. Very little else of interest was done.

in the Senate, the House amendments to the Shenaudoah Valley railroad bill were concur

A bill incorporating the Virginia Law Socie ty was passed.

The Committee on Courts of Justice were instructed to inquire into the propriety of preventing by law, the introduction of pauper immigrants into this State, or if brought, binding the parties bringing them to be responsible for their welfare, for twelve months after set-

The House bill, entitled an act in relation to commissioners of revenue, was made the special order for to morrow.

Resolutions were passed by both Houses in regard to the resistance made by the blacks in Norfolk, Elizabeth City and New York counties to the execution of the laws of the State by the civil authorities, and requesting the President of the United States to send such military force to those counties as will be sufficient to enforce the laws of the State, and prevent the bloodshed which will ensue, if the civil authorities endeavor, unaided to carry out

the law. In the House of Delegates a joint resolution in relation to the repudiation of public and private debts, was offered and reported from the committee on Finance, and placed on the calandar. The preamble recites that the credit of the State and of its citizens is being injured from an apprehension in the minds of some persons that the General Assembly will repudiate the debt of the State, and authorize the repudiation of the debts of her citizens, and closes with a resolution that the General Assembly will pass no such acts of repudiation either in whole or in part, and that to do so would be no less destructive of our future pros perity than of our credit, our integrity, and

our hopor. There seemed to be an absonce of all politi cal feeling in the choice of Judges to day, the Radicals in many instances endorsing the Conservative nominees. Mr. Dickinson was endorsed in the Senate by Bland, and Mr. Henry Shackelford received the entire vote cast in both Houses.

The Radical conference which was to have been held in this city on the 6th of April, has been postponed by Messrs. Gilmer, Porter and

Wiekham until Thursday, April 21st. The argument in the injunction case, was further continued to day before Judge Underwood, by Messrs. Chandler and R. T. Daniel. The interest seems to be abating.

It is understood that Theodore B. Wardwell, son of Burnham Wardwell, late Superintendent of the Penitentiary here, has been appointed to a military cadetship at West Point by the Secretary of War.

The caucuses of the conservatives of the Legislature are in future to be held in the day time, for which purpose the hour of meeting of the Legislature until the election of judges is over, has been changed to one o'clock.

Messrs, Moneure, Staples, Christian, Joynes and Anderson, recently elected judges of the Supreme Court of Appeals, were commission ed as such yesterday, by the Governor, for twelve years each, dating from January 1st,

The Governor has appointed Messrs. I. R. Spilman, John A. Spilman, R. T. Scott, H. II. Robinson, A. Ulman, C. T. Green, and R. W. Payne, conneilmen for the town of Warrenton.

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Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] LEESBURG, March 24.-Constable George P. Hunter brought down to-day from the German Settlement, two colored men, Caleb Jackson and Charles Thompson, charged with robbing an old gentleman of his watch in his own house. He was sitting after night in his house, directed Carter M. Braxton, the President of when two blacks came in and asked parmission to warm themselves, which he granted. While they were sitting at the fire, he pulled out his Charlottesville. The contract made with Mr. | watch, and one of them asked him to let him look at it. He looked at it and handed it back, when the other fellow snatched it, and they both ran off. He described the coat of one of E. H. Dickinson, who has been missing since them, and when they were arrested fully identified them as the parties who had robbed him. They were committed for trial.

The weather has been delightful during the weather desired by those who make "tree sugar.

Our people have commenced gardening. There is considerable stir in the county on

the subject of roads and sidewalks. Hamilton and Lovettsville are having oyster suppers for improving their sidewalks and

may be other villages will follows. Leesburg has done a good deal in this matter for a season or two past, and when we get our town council, I suppose more will be

I think no one here would qualify under the 'enabling act,' as the time is too short before the election. Yours, &c.,

AT HIS OLD TRICKS .- The notorious Geo. Jarboe, who has been in nearly every jail in Southern Maryland and the District of Columbia for horse stealing and kindred vices, but managed to make his escape, was arrested in Washington last week, under suspicious cir-Mr. Pomeroy, editor of the New York and cumstances; and, upon the officers searching him, some papers were found upon his person, among them some letters purporting to be from persons from the country to parties in Washington, asking for the loan of money, which the prisoner acknowledged to have been written by him. One of these purported to be written by Dr. George D. Mudd, of Bryantown, Charles county, to Mr. Frederick Stone, our representative in Congress, asking the loan of election of Circuit Judges was progressing in the \$85 to the bearer, and enclosing his note for the amount at sixty days. The prisoner acknowle edged that his name was George Jarboe, and the detectives state that he is wanted at Fairfax Court House, Va., to answer the charge of horse stealing in that locality, and at Alexandria to answer the charge of obtaining money dressing the chair as "Your Honor," made a from parties there on forged paper. He was request that he be allowed to comply with the committed by Justice Walter .- Prince Geor-

VESSELS AT KEY WEST .-- How the operations of the telegraph are causing changes in this country is wonderfully exemplified at Key West. Vessels arrive there now that do in a few hours, and by the expenditure of from thirty to fifty dollars, a business which cost them thousands of dollars heretofore, and many days' time. The captains of those vessels telegraph to different ports inquiring for freights. By telegraph they make their engagements to accept freight, and move direct for the place or places where they can get that passed the House, except so far as the section referring to the pay of the officers and men. most profitable.

HARD WATER .- In Europe hard water is considered more healthful then soft. The costs \$1,000,000 a year to sustain a regiment.—
Senator Wilson and the President discussed the features of the bill, and when the Senator left segints are rejected in soil water discrets, on scripts are rejected in soit water districts, on account of imperfect development and stunted growth, than in the hard; and they concluded that releases matter in water is been calculated sizes, from 5½ to 8. Call and get a pair. that calcareous matter in water is less essential | mh 14 In this city, on the 13th inst. MARGARET similar bearing have been noted in Great Brit-

THE PRESIDENT AND THE SENATE.-The matter of the President's visiting the Capital upon executive business, is provided for in the rules of the Senate itself. The express provision of Rule 37 has been in force ever since the very foundation of the government, as to low-When the President of the Unit is a reshall meet the Senate in the Senate Chember.

for the consideration of executive business, the presiding officer of the Senate shall have a chair on the floor, and be considered as the head of the Senate, and his chair shall be assigned to the President of the United States.'

Tobacco. - Very little tobacco is now com ing into market, though the prices it sells for, rule stiff and high. There is in truth but little tobacco in the country, as the yield last year was not large in this section, and a much larger portion of it has already been brought in, than had been brought to market at the same period of last year. Our country triends inform us that they are making preparations for a large crop next year; but with labor as scarce as it is becoming, and high, as it is almost sure to be, we fear they will experience some difficulty in carrying out fully their plans for the coming season. - Lynch. Rep.

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ALEXANDRIA MARKET, March 16 .- Tho market for Flour is unchanged. Wheat is steady sales of 76 bushels white at 125, and (0) of red at 120, 121, 123, 127 and 128. Corn is active, with light receipts. All samples offered were disposed of at quotations. We note sales of 896 bushels mixed and 41 of yellow at 90c. Bye easy; receipts small; sales a: 95. Oats steady; offerings of 169 bushels, and sales at 55c. Dressed Hogs 9a\$12 50 per cwt.

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1870, in the suit of Henry S. Martin vs.
Hiram H. Arnold and others, the undersigned, Commissioners, appointed by said decree, will expose to sale, by public auction, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 16th day of April, 1870, at 12 o'clock m., a TENE-MENT and LOT OF GROUND, situated on the west side of Patrick st., between Queen and Princess sts., in the said city of Alexandria, in front on Patrick street 10 feet, and in depth 115 feet 11 inches to an alley 15 feet in Particular attention paid to the selling of all width-said property being now occupied by

TERMS—One fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the H. H. Arnold. residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the bonds of the purchaser, with interest, to be taken for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until the purchase money is paid in full.

C. W. WATTLES. in full.

C. E. STUART. G. S. MINER, Comm'rs. of Sale

SALE OF A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, in the case of Carne, Guardian, vs. Rice et al.; we will sell, by auction, on the premises, at noon, on SATURDAY, the GROUND and commodious FRAME ELECTORY TENEMENT thereon, situated on the west side of Fairfax street, and adjoining on the south the lot at the southwest intersection of Fairfax and Queen streets. The lot is 28 feet

front by 90 feet in depth. TERMS-One-fourth of the purchase money in cash, and the remainder in three equal in stalments at three, six and twelve months, respectively from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the pur

chaser, with good socurity, and the retention of the title until the notes are paid.
WM. F. CARNE.
ALBERT STUART, Commissioner-

By Beck, Knox & Kerby, Aucti'rs. RUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA. VA .- By virtue of a deed of trust, dated on the 10th day of March, 1869, and executed by John T. Price and wife, of record in liber Z, No 3, folio 228, of the Alexandria county land records, the undersigned, as Trustees therein named, will expose to sale, by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 2d day of April, 1870, at 12 m., in front of the premises, the following described property, to wit: All that TENwest side of Union street, between King and Prince, in Alexandria, Va. in front on Union street twenty feet and in depth seventy feet; also, all that TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND adjoining the same in the tear. in front twenty feet and in depth thirty five it. -the said property being the same at present occupied and used as a restaurant by Jas Cole

man. Terms cash. GEO. H. MARKELL, WESLEY MAKELY. JOS. BRODERS, Trustees By Beck, Knox & Co., Auctioneers TRUSTEE'S SALE.

In execution of a deed of trust from James Brawner and Louisa, his wife, bearing date on the 14th day of December, 1855, I will offer for sale, by public auction, on SATURDAY, the id day of April, 1870, at 12 o clock m., in front of the Mayor's office, for each, to the highest bidder, a TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND, in the city of Alexandria. bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the east side of St. Asaph street. So ft. south of the corner of St. Asaph and Gibbon streets hen south with St Asaph street 18 fe t; ther 5 inches, more or less, to a point ten feet from the middle of the square; then northwardly 224 Particular atte tion paid to the selling parallel with St. Asaph street 18 feet; thence in of GEAIN, FLOUR and all kinds of COUNTRY a straight line to the beginning, together with PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCE- all buildings, improvements and appurtenances.

mar 2-ts OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALU ABLE FARM.—Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fauquier county, made on the 9th day of September 1869, in the case of F. M. Young, Executor of Wm. Rawlings, deceased, vs. John D. Rogers, &c., the under signed, as the Commissioners of sale therein named, will offer to the highest bidder, before the "Beveridge House," in the town of Middle-burg, on SATURDAY, the 29th day of January, 1870, that beautiful farm, called "SPRING-FIELD," owned and lately occupied by John

D. Rogers, containing 386 acres.
This farm is situated on the Turnpike from Middleburg to The Plains, about 2 miles from the former and 6 miles from the latter place.— It is of the best quanty of Fauquier land; iwell tenced with stones and rails, well watered, a large portion of it well set in clover; has an abundance of the most valuable timber; a young orchard of choice fruit; is in a healthy, fine neighborhood, and is altogether about the

most desirable farm now offered for sale in this section of Virginia. The improvements consist of a comfortable STONE DWELLING, Kitchen, Dire Meat House, Dairy, &c.

The decree authorizes us to sell either at private or public sale upon the following TERMS, viz :- One-tenth of the purchase money in cash, and so much more as with said one-tenth will make one-third of the whole purchase money, to be paid on the confirmation of the sale by the Court, and the residue in two equal payments in one and two years; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and retention of

the title until last payment is made. BURR P. NOLAND. ARTH. L. ROGERS. Commissioners of Sale Middleburg, Va., dec 17-eots The above sale is postponed till TUES-DAY, March 1st, when it will take place before the Court House door at Warrenton. [fe3-eots The above sale is postponed until TUES-DAY, the 20th day of March, 1870, when it will

take place before the Court House in Warrenmh 4-eots DISH! FISH! FISH!

Arrived, per schr. Mary Fletcher, a well selected cargo of EASTERN HERRING, consisting in part of-150 bbls Halifax No. 1 GIBBED HERRING

100 bbls PORTLAND ROUND 300 bbls EASTPORT No. 1 100 bbls superior SPLIT LABRADOR " which will be sold low from wharf. M. ELDRIDGE & CO., No. 4 South Wharves. feb 8-tf

CPECIAL NOTICE. TO DELINQUENT TAX-PAYERS. All persons indebted to the city of Alexan-

dris for taxes, who wish to settle the same without costs, can do so at my office, No. 12 Royal street, between the hours of 4 and 8 o'clock p. m., where I will attend to receive them, Unless promptly settled, I am directed to institute proceedings for their immediate collec-P. B. STILSON,

Corporation Attorney feb 1-tf F. M. MAGRUDER,

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